
Nearly Every One in the District Is
Closed.

are gradually closing all the shaft Southern Illinois, and in the St. L. district few indeed are now runn The Consolidated company, which

only in operating twenty mines, only one of which is operated by Madison company has none at all. The Belleville and Duquoin districts have produced very little coal for the past few weeks. Except the output of the mines scattered about the city and there St. Louis is dependent on her supply upon accumulated stocks. The latest addition to the ranks of the "quitters" was St. Edwards, which yesterday morning abruptly stopped work, induced by circumstances from the striking districts.

At Mount Olive 100 men have closed the mines considered profitable every mine in St. Louis territory is closed within the next ten days. The strike after that is hard to tell. The coal miners will not concentrate at one mine but will disperse, by a course of peaceful taunts, force a closure. That is the opinion of the majority. A party of 500 left Belleville Monday and there is no reason to believe it will alter. Coal is still being produced at Carlinville in the Muddy valley and at Springfield. At Sandoval, with 400 or 500 men, are some smaller mines.

KANSAS MINERS TO STRIKE
Pittsburg Miners Demand Sixty Cent
Ton and They Will Quit Work.
The Kansas miners, who are now on strike, were called here for a meeting of coal miners called here for the night of August 25, between 200 and 300 delegates. Tom McManis was made chairman. S. T. Rayne

the mine workers, was introduced made an inflammatory speech, advocating striking, now that the mine are out in other states. After speech the matter was discussed

Spoke warmly advocated striking, compelling the operators to come to terms. A resolution was read, and the operators were asked to pay all miners upon the basis of Devlin proposition, or sixty cents per ton. The vote was roundly and unanimously. Then the convention appointed delegates from fifty shafts to attend the delegate convention at the hotel on Saturday. The operators who had the decision of the meeting say miners were a "freak" and that it will not be handled with kid gloves.

came asphyxiated by foul air and younger brother went to his rescue and he, too, was stricken by the same fate. The latter's wife became so excited by the death of her husband

Baseball Results.
At Kansas City—Kansas City
Sioux City 5.
At Toledo—Indianapolis 3, T
do 4.
At Detroit—Grand Rapids 19,
troit 10.
At Minneapolis—Milwaukee 14,
neapolis 5.
At New York—Philadelphia 7,
York 4.
At Washington—Washington 8,
ton 10.
At Baltimore—Baltimore 8, B
lyn 3.

ville 2.
At Pittsburg — Pittsburg 6,
Louis 2.
At Omaha—Omaha 13, Rock
land 9.
At St. Joseph—St. Joseph 9,
oria 8.

Funeral of Frank Hutton.
WASHINGTON, May 5.—The fun
eral of Editor Frank Hutton of
Washington Post took place
today afternoon from his resi

church burial service was by Bishop Hurst of the Methodist church, and the interment at Rock Creek cemetery. The orary pall-bearers were: Secretaries Gresham, Senators All Teller and Chandler, Admiral G. Theodore C. Noyes, Jesse B. W. Hon. H. V. Boynton, Colonel Fleet Major John M. Carson, B. M. W. and Chris L. Magee. The active bearers were members of the society.

Two well-known chemists of Hamburg allege that soap is one of the best known sterilizers of water infected of cholera infection.

THE MARKETS.

Kansas City Grain.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 5.—Quotation car lots by sample on track at Kansas were nominally as follows: No. 2 hard 51½c. No. 1 hard 49½c. No. 4 hard 47½c.

31c No. 4 red. 41@44c Corn—No 2, 34 1/2@
No 3, 35 1/2c No 2 white corn, 36 1/2@39c
3 white 31c Oats—No 2, 32@34c
32@33 1/2c No 2 white oats, 31c No 3 white
Live Stock.
Cattle—Dressed beef and export steers
@4.20 cows and heifers, \$1.50@1.61 Texas
Indian steers, \$1.45 stockers and feed-
ers, 40c@51c, mixed \$1.50@1.75

2991. The market was active and steady, closing strong with all sold. The price was 65, and bulk of sales \$1.92 to \$1.95 and 75.6 for top and \$1.92 to \$1.95 for bulk yesterday.

Sheep—Receipts 1,363; no shipments. The quality of sheep was good. The market was active and steady. The following are representative sales:

| Wt. | Mr. Deane | No. | Wt. |
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| 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |

Horses—Receipts, 236 shipped
day, 122. The market was uncha-
The range of prices for good size, well
and sound horses is about as follows: 1
draft, 1,500 pounds, \$10.00; 123: good draft,
pounds, \$9.00; extra drivers, \$10.00; 175
drivers, \$12.00; saddle, good to extra, \$7.50
Southern mares and geldings \$2.00 to \$3.00. We

Indianapolis Tired of Frye.
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 5.—General Frye and his army of 400 commonwealers are anxious to get out of Indianapolis. Provisions are run-

An Old Time Ball Player Dead.
NEW YORK, May 5.—Bob Ferge, the old time ball player and National league umpire, died last night of apoplexy at his home in Brooklyn, 18. He leaves a wife and family.